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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:  
**WARD CASSELLS, III**

For: **ABLATION OF ATRIAL FIBRILLATION BY THERMAL APOPTOSIS**

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- sheets of drawings.
- A certified copy of a application.
- Declaration  Signed.  Unsigned.
- Power of Attorney
- Information Disclosure Statement
- Preliminary Amendment
- Verified Statement(s) to Establish Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- Other: **Assignment (unsigned)**

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

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Total Claims	63	- 20 =	43	x \$9.00	387.00
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) and (f), the Applicant request the Patent and Trademark Office to accept the application and accord a serial number and filing date as of the date this Application is deposited with the U.S. Postal Service for Express Mail.

Respectfully submitted,

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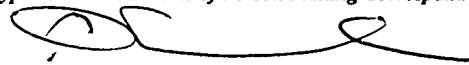
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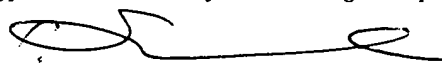
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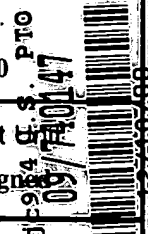
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